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Mail Stop Amendment
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For : A LENS BARREL INCORPORATING THE ADVANCING/RETRACTING
 MECHANISM

Mail Stop Amendment

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Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

☒ A Request for Extension of Time.

☒ An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449, and references cited.

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